

## MADDENED BY THE FLAMES

### A YOUNG BARBER REFUSES TO BE LED

**His Charred Remains Found in the Ruins—  
Another Man Rescued, Almost Dying, from  
the Fire—Barry's Struggle with the Monks.**

Shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning John Barry, who keeps a store in Fulton street, between Third and Second streets, was awakened by the flickering of flames through the open window of a house at Fulton street and Pearl avenue. He knew that three men were sleeping in the upper rooms of that house, two of whom had been drinking a little during the early part of the evening. Hearing the noise, and the stiffness he thought was ominous, he rushed to the window, and with all his strength, the alarm that he raised brought Officer John Boyle to the spot, but failed to arouse the men in the house. Meanwhile the smoke grew denser, and both the officer and Barry beat upon the door with heavy clubs, shouting at the door must be open. There was no answer, and the men in the house, and then Barry said that the door must be broken down. The door resisted the weight of the two men who dashed against it. Then the officer, groaning in the road, found a large stone, which he hurled with all his strength against the door. The iron lock snapped, and as the two men were in the doorway, and first almost suffocated by the smoke, they followed Barry, who cleared the doorway, and then followed him down the draught toward the open door. This cleared the hallway, and the flames were lighted sufficiently to see that a man was clinging to the balusters at the top of the

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Of the five men trying to unloose the fire-  
hosed busters, the man who had been in-  
jured from the bedroom to the stairs, managed  
to get to the top of the stairs, and then, in-  
stead of falling, he stood up, and, with the aid  
of the stairs, and the little pile of flames that  
were still burning, he was able to get his  
hair almost clean from the soot. Two men  
got both in their arms and carried him down  
the stairs, and then, as the flames were  
stream in the bedroom, and the everything  
was still except the roaring of the flames,  
the men who had been in the bedroom at  
this time were working desperately, while a few  
men tried to expel the smoke from Bech's  
room. The fire was still burning, and Bech  
would catch his breath again. But he had  
already caught and opened his eyes. He was  
almost reassured, is yet in great danger of  
losing his life.

The firemen had subdued the  
flames, and when it was safe to go search

The floor of the bedroom, with the head toward the door, the feet toward the bed, and the knees drawn up. One arm, bent at the elbow, was thrown across the eyes, while the other hand was raised, the fingers extended, as if to ward off the flames. The body was badly disfigured, but it is probable that after Boem fell he became unconscious, for the smoke was very dense.

If there was a third man in the house, as at first supposed, he must have escaped, probably, without injury.

The Astoria police believe that the fire was started by a person who had been drinking.

**HONORING A GREAT INVENTOR.**

The Welcome Edison Received from the American Science Association.

ST. LOUIS, AUG. 23.—At the session of the Association for the Advancement of Science today, Prof. Baker rose and said that the time had come when the "scientist" was no longer the only discoverer; the practical man had found science too slow, and had stepped in and discovered for himself. It gave him great pleasure to introduce to the association one of the new members whose name was heralded throughout the country, and whose researches were known throughout the world. He

When President Thomas A. Edison, who was received with great applause, which continued some time.

In response, President Marsh said that it certainly gave the association pleasure to welcome the gentleman who had done so much to help science by his wonderful inventions, and that they reflected glory upon the genius of America. It would be probably the most gratifying intelligence to the gentleman himself, as well as to the audience, to hear that the association had been informed this morning, by a telegram from the Paris Exposition, that the grand prize

**How Capt. Paget Travels.**

Capt. Paget of the British Army and his bride arrived yesterday by the Baltic. Mrs. Susan Stevens, Mrs. Paget's mother, was on the pier of the White Star line as the steamship drew alongside. Capt. Paget has never been in America before, and expects to spend the autumn months here. He is traveling very modestly, although of an English family of rank.

**A Negro Lynched.**

SHELBYVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 23.—A negro named George Beale was taken from officers here last night while on their way to jail by about six Kludks, and carried about three miles from town, where they lynched him. He had ravished a woman named Mrs. Martin, about nine miles from Shelbyville.

**The Thermometer in New York Yesterday**

At High Water at P. M. 74.9; 6 A. M. 68.0; 10 A. M. 69.0; 1 P. M. 70.0; 4 P. M. 71.0; 7 P. M. 72.0; 10 P. M. 73.0; 1 A. M. 74.0; 4 A. M. 75.0; 7 A. M. 76.0; 10 A. M. 77.0; 1 P. M. 78.0; 4 P. M. 79.0; 7 P. M. 80.0; 10 P. M. 81.0; 1 A. M. 82.0; 4 A. M. 83.0; 7 A. M. 84.0; 10 A. M. 85.0; 1 P. M. 86.0; 4 P. M. 87.0; 7 P. M. 88.0; 10 P. M. 89.0; 1 A. M. 90.0; 4 A. M. 91.0; 7 A. M. 92.0; 10 A. M. 93.0; 1 P. M. 94.0; 4 P. M. 95.0; 7 P. M. 96.0; 10 P. M. 97.0; 1 A. M. 98.0; 4 A. M. 99.0; 7 A. M. 100.0; 10 A. M. 101.0; 1 P. M. 102.0; 4 P. M. 103.0; 7 P. M. 104.0; 10 P. M. 105.0; 1 A. M. 106.0; 4 A. M. 107.0; 7 A. M. 108.0; 10 A. M. 109.0; 1 P. M. 110.0; 4 P. M. 111.0; 7 P. M. 112.0; 10 P. M. 113.0; 1 A. M. 114.0; 4 A. M. 115.0; 7 A. M. 116.0; 10 A. M. 117.0; 1 P. M. 118.0; 4 P. M. 119.0; 7 P. M. 120.0; 10 P. M. 121.0; 1 A. M. 122.0; 4 A. M. 123.0; 7 A. M. 124.0; 10 A. M. 125.0; 1 P. M. 126.0; 4 P. M. 127.0; 7 P. M. 128.0; 10 P. M. 129.0; 1 A. M. 130.0; 4 A. M. 131.0; 7 A. M. 132.0; 10 A. M. 133.0; 1 P. M. 134.0; 4 P. M. 135.0; 7 P. M. 136.0; 10 P. M. 137.0; 1 A. M. 138.0; 4 A. M. 139.0; 7 A. M. 140.0; 10 A. M. 141.0; 1 P. M. 142.0; 4 P. M. 143.0; 7 P. M. 144.0; 10 P. M. 145.0; 1 A. M. 146.0; 4 A. M. 147.0; 7 A. M. 148.0; 10 A. M. 149.0; 1 P. M. 150.0; 4 P. M. 151.0; 7 P. M. 152.0; 10 P. M. 153.0; 1 A. M. 154.0; 4 A. M. 155.0; 7 A. M. 156.0; 10 A. M. 157.0; 1 P. M. 158.0; 4 P. M. 159.0; 7 P. M. 160.0; 10 P. M. 161.0; 1 A. M. 162.0; 4 A. M. 163.0; 7 A. M. 164.0; 10 A. M. 165.0; 1 P. M. 166.0; 4 P. M. 167.0; 7 P. M. 168.0; 10 P. M. 169.0; 1 A. M. 170.0; 4 A. M. 171.0; 7 A. M. 172.0; 10 A. M. 173.0; 1 P. M. 174.0; 4 P. M. 175.0; 7 P. M. 176.0; 10 P. M. 177.0; 1 A. M. 178.0; 4 A. M. 179.0; 7 A. M. 180.0; 10 A. M. 181.0; 1 P. M. 182.0; 4 P. M. 183.0; 7 P. M. 184.0; 10 P. M. 185.0; 1 A. M. 186.0; 4 A. M. 187.0; 7 A. M. 188.0; 10 A. M. 189.0; 1 P. M. 190.0; 4 P. M. 191.0; 7 P. M. 192.0; 10 P. M. 193.0; 1 A. M. 194.0; 4 A. M. 195.0; 7 A. M. 196.0; 10 A. M. 197.0; 1 P. M. 198.0; 4 P. M. 199.0; 7 P. M. 200.0; 10 P. M. 201.0; 1 A. M. 202.0; 4 A. M. 203.0; 7 A. M. 204.0; 10 A. M. 205.0; 1 P. M. 206.0; 4 P. M. 207.0; 7 P. M. 208.0; 10 P. M. 209.0; 1 A. M. 210.0; 4 A. M. 211.0; 7 A. M. 212.0; 10 A. M. 213.0; 1 P. M. 214.0; 4 P. M. 215.0; 7 P. M. 216.0; 10 P. M. 217.0; 1 A. M. 218.0; 4 A. M. 219.0; 7 A. M. 220.0; 10 A. M. 221.0; 1 P. M. 222.0; 4 P. M. 223.0; 7 P. M. 224.0; 10 P. M. 225.0; 1 A. M. 226.0; 4 A. M. 227.0; 7 A. M. 228.0; 10 A. M. 229.0; 1 P. M. 230.0; 4 P. M. 231.0; 7 P. M. 232.0; 10 P. M. 233.0; 1 A. M. 234.0; 4 A. M. 235.0; 7 A. M. 236.0; 10 A. M. 237.0; 1 P. M. 238.0; 4 P. M. 239.0; 7 P. M. 240.0; 10 P. M. 241.0; 1 A. M. 242.0; 4 A. M. 243.0; 7 A. M. 244.0; 10 A. M. 245.0; 1 P. M. 246.0; 4 P. M. 247.0; 7 P. M. 248.0; 10 P. M. 249.0; 1 A. M. 250.0; 4 A. M. 251.0; 7 A. M. 252.0; 10 A. M. 253.0; 1 P. M. 254.0; 4 P. M. 255.0; 7 P. M. 256.0; 10 P. M. 257.0; 1 A. M. 258.0; 4 A. M. 259.0; 7 A. M. 260.0; 10 A. M. 261.0; 1 P. M. 262.0; 4 P. M. 263.0; 7 P. M. 264.0; 10 P. M. 265.0; 1 A. M. 266.0; 4 A. M. 267.0; 7 A. M. 268.0; 10 A. M. 269.0; 1 P. M. 270.0; 4 P. M. 271.0; 7 P. M. 272.0; 10 P. M. 273.0; 1 A. M. 274.0; 4 A. M. 275.0; 7 A. M. 276.0; 10 A. M. 277.0; 1 P. M. 278.0; 4 P. M. 279.0; 7 P. M. 280.0; 10 P. M. 281.0; 1 A. M. 282.0; 4 A. M. 283.0; 7 A. M. 284.0; 10 A. M. 285.0; 1 P. M. 286.0; 4 P. M. 287.0; 7 P. M. 288.0; 10 P. M. 289.0; 1 A. M. 290.0; 4 A. M. 291.0; 7 A. M. 292.0; 10 A. M. 293.0; 1 P. M. 294.0; 4 P. M. 295.0; 7 P. M. 296.0; 10 P. M. 297.0; 1 A. M. 298.0; 4 A. M. 299.0; 7 A. M. 300.0; 10 A. M. 301.0; 1 P. M. 302.0; 4 P. M. 303.0; 7 P. M. 304.0; 10 P. M. 305.0; 1 A. M. 306.0; 4 A. M. 307.0; 7 A. M. 308.0; 10 A. M. 309.0; 1 P. M. 310.0; 4 P. M. 311.0; 7 P. M. 312.0; 10 P. M. 313.0; 1 A. M. 314.0; 4 A. M. 315.0; 7 A. M. 316.0; 10 A. M. 317.0; 1 P. M. 318.0; 4 P. M. 319.0; 7 P. M. 320.0; 10 P. M. 321.0; 1 A. M. 322.0; 4 A. M. 323.0; 7 A. M. 324.0; 10 A. M. 325.0; 1 P. M. 326.0; 4 P. M. 327.0; 7 P. M. 328.0; 10 P. M. 329.0; 1 A. M. 330.0; 4 A. M. 331.0; 7 A. M. 332.0; 10 A. M. 333.0; 1 P. M. 334.0; 4 P. M. 335.0; 7 P. M. 336.0; 10 P. M. 337.0; 1 A. M. 338.0; 4 A. M. 339.0; 7 A. M. 340.0; 10 A. M. 341.0; 1 P. M. 342.0; 4 P. M. 343.0; 7 P. M. 344.0; 10 P. M. 345.0; 1 A. M. 346.0; 4 A. M. 347.0; 7 A. M. 348.0; 10 A. M. 349.0; 1 P. M. 350.0; 4 P. M. 351.0; 7 P. M. 352.0; 10 P. M. 353.0; 1 A. M. 354.0; 4 A. M. 355.0; 7 A. M. 356.0; 10 A. M. 357.0; 1 P. M. 358.0; 4 P. M. 359.0; 7 P. M. 360.0; 10 P. M. 361.0; 1 A. M. 362.0; 4 A. M. 363.0; 7 A. M. 364.0; 10 A. M. 365.0; 1 P. M. 366.0; 4 P. M. 367.0; 7 P. M. 368.0; 10 P. M. 369.0; 1 A. M. 37

**Signal Office Prediction.**  
Clear or partly cloudy weather, cold easterly,  
veering to warmer southerly winds, stationary or falling  
barometer.

**SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.**

Subscriptions to the four per cent. loan yesterday  
amounted to £4,040.

General Will, cotton spinner and colliery proprietor, of  
Barnsley, has been elected a member of the House of

tion. F. M. Etheridge, the Republican nomination for Governor of Tennessee. The Republican Committee will meet on Sept. 7 to determine whether to call another State Convention.

**JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.**

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Ex Gov. Samuel J. Tilden will go to Saratoga on Tuesday next.

Several sharks have been received at the Aquarium, one being more than five feet in length.

The city was without a Mayor, yesterday, neither Mayor

Chief Justice Walter of the Supreme Court is at the St. Nicholas. Gen John G. Hazard of New Orleans is at the New York Hotel.

Antonio Popo, 12 years of age, of 45 Crosby street, dropped a lighted match into a bottle of powder last evening, and was severely injured by the explosion.

Frederick Jenkins, aged 7, of 408 Second avenue, was run over by a Twenty third street car last evening yesterday afternoon. He died in Bellevue Hospital last evening.

Two boys swimming off Powder House Point Station Island yesterday, were chased by a large shark. They escaped by climbing into a boat.

The old length of the Atlantic telegraph cable is 18,000 miles.

The Sunday school, held at the Church of the Holy Cross, comprising nearly 300 children, under the leadership of Thomas A. McBain, marched to Elm Park on Wednesday, to the pleasure of all concerned.

Mr. Henry Cavanaugh, and his wife had an altercation at 348 Madison street last evening, and Cavanaugh seized a bullet from his pocket and shot his wife over the head with it and she was unconscious. He was arrested and arrested and locked up in the Delaware street police station. His Cavanaugh was sent to the Chambers Street Hospital.

Dr. Nathaniel Reynolds Davis, surgeon of the Pacific

Yesterday morning of an affection of the liver. He was the son of Dr. John Davis of this city. He graduated from the New York Medical College, and in 1849 went to California. For several years he had charge of the United States Marine Hospital in San Francisco. He was 33 years of age.

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